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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MANAGING A KEY MANAGEMENT  
SYSTEM

**REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2006, please reconsider this application in view of the following.